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Grand Trunk Railway System

TIME TABLE

Taking Effect Sunday, January 14, 1917

Eastern Lines, Montreal Division.
Eastern Standard Time.

Portland and Island Pond Subdivision

WESTBOUND TRAINS

Arrive at Island Pond.

Train No. 5, Mail and Express, 10:00 p. m., daily.

Train No. 13, Express, 1:20 p. m., daily.

EASTBOUND TRAINS

Leave Island Pond.

Train No. 4, Mail and Express, 5:00 a. m., daily.

Train No. 16, Express, 1:30 p. m., daily.

Island Pond and Richmond Subdivision

WESTBOUND TRAINS

Leave Island Pond.

Train No. 13, Express, 1:30 p. m., daily.

Train No. 11, Mail and Express, 6:30 a. m., daily.

EASTBOUND TRAINS

Arrive at Island Pond.

Train No. 16, Express, 1:25 p. m., daily.

Train No. 12, Mail and Express, 10:10 p. m., daily.

W. A. GLEESON, Station Agent.

Post Office, Island Pond, Vt.

Office hours, 5:30 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.
Office hours, Sundays, 9:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m., and 1:00 p. m. to 2:00 p. m.
Drop box open all night.

MAILS ARRIVE.

From Newport and points south and west of Newport, 1:47 a. m.

From Newport, West Derby, Derby, West and East Charleston, 7:30 p. m.

From Morgan and Morgan Center, 11:45 a. m.

From points in Province Quebec Ontario and Western Canada, 1:47 a. m., and 1:25 and 10:10 p. m.

From Norton Mills, Wallis Pond, and Averill, 10:10 p. m.

From Lake 4:00 p. m.

From all local points Portland to Groveton, 1:30 p. m.

From Lancaster, Littleton, White field, and points on Boston & Maine south of Groveton, 1:20 a. m., and 1:30 p. m.

From North Stratford, Groveton, Berlin, Gorham, and all points south and east, 1:20 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

For Newport, Derby, Derby Line, and North; West Derby and Beebe Plain, 1:00 a. m.

For Newport, West Derby, Derby, East Charleston and West Charleston, 5:45 a. m.

For Lake, Norton Mills, Averill and Wallis Pond, 6:15 a. m.

For Morgan, and Morgan Center 7:15 a. m.

For Beecher Falls, Canaan, and all points on upper Maine Central Railroad, 1:00 a. m. and 5:00 a. m. and 1:00 p. m.

For Lancaster, Littleton, White field, and points on Boston & Maine Railroad, south of Groveton, 1:00 a. m. and 5:00 a. m.

For local points, Island Pond to Portland, 1:30 a. m. and 5:00 a. m.

For local points, Groveton to Portland, 1:00 p. m.

For Berlin, Gorham, and all points south and east, 1:00 a. m., 5:00 a. m., and 1:00 p. m.

Rural Delivery carrier arrives 12:30 p. m.

Rural Delivery mails close 6:15 a. m. Except Sunday.

SUNDAY.

From all points south and east, 1:20 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.

Mails close for all points south and east, 1:00 a. m.

Mails for Norton Mills 1:00 a. m.

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ADMIRAL DEWEY

Eloquent Tribute Paid to the Memory of the "Hero of Manila Bay" by Congressman Dale in the House of Representatives.

"Mr. Speaker, the passing of the chief of heroic figures in this Nation and the ranking naval officer of the world is announced by the President of the United States in a message to the Congress.

"Admiral George Dewey was a native of the State of Vermont and was appointed to the Naval Academy from what is now the second congressional district of that State.

"From his home, under the shadow of the dome of the State capitol, he went a youth from the mountains out upon the seas. After 40 years from the steps of that capitol he beheld the largest throng of people ever assembled within the State as they welcomed him home with the acclaim of the glory of his achievement. That was a long period of time between those two dates. Even so, it illustrates the primal element in the character of the man, that by the restriction of his energy and the confinement of his study to the one purpose of his life through all these years he became thoroughly equipped for the victorious response to the great requirement of his country.

"The records of history may be searched without finding a like illustration of the man meeting the event so completely ready.

"These are the perfected qualities of the soul of the man:

Discipline—to obey the superior command that sent him away from that which in equity seemed to be his opportunity.

Courage—to convey his fleet over the waters that might at any moment engulf it as Habana Harbor did the Maine.

Skill—to maneuver and operate to the annihilation of the Spanish squadron, and the loss of not one United States marine.

Poise—to maintain the rights of international law amidst the provocations of the German fleet and to keep the welfare of his country above his own ambition when the full flush of victory was upon him. [Applause]

"To the Navy and naval affairs he devoted his whole life and during the later years he gave the inestimable benefit of his experience to many sessions of Congress down to the present. With no attempt to become conspicuous in other positions, he passed from his achievements followed by the homage of the whole people of his country to the glory that awaits him over the unknown sea. [Applause.]

"The deeds of his heroic life are history, and of it the Nation is justly proud. The spirit of such a life lives on—an inspiration forever.

"It is a glorious reflection that this Nation has given such an influence to all the world, and beyond that stands the superlative fact that Vermont gave him to the Nation. [Applause.]

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FREIGHT TRAINS COLLIDE

Freight Trains on Grand Trunk Railway Collide at Dixville, Que., Killing One Brakeman and Damaging Rolling Stock.

Eastbound and westbound freight trains on the Grand Trunk railway were mixed in a wreck at Dixville, Que., Sunday night.

It is reported that in the train taking the siding was a car which had left the iron and swung around enough to reach the main line, and the passing train hit this damaging engine, wrecking the car and hitting brakeman Goslant, causing his death. The engine was cleared of pipes, pumps and cab on the side striking the car, and the engineer bruised but not severely injured.

The wrecking train and crew from this station cleared the track and traffic was not long delayed.

I.P.H.S. VS. R.R.Y.M.C.A.

The High School and Y.M.C.A. Teams will Play Basketball at the Opera House Saturday Evening.

The high school and Y. M. C. A. basketball teams will play basketball at the opera house Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Between periods the grammar school team and Y. M. C. A. junior team will play. Admission 15 cents.

The Y. M. C. A. boys have been putting in some hard practice and will make the crack high school team step lively. The junior teams are trappy players and the games will furnish plenty of excitement. Our local teams play the game like true sportsmen and should be encouraged by a full attendance.

Dewey Memorial Service at Norwich University.

A 11.15 o'clock Saturday morning, simultaneously with the services at Washington, Norwich University at Northfield, Vermont held a short memorial service for the late Admiral Dewey. The services were held in Dewey Hall (named for the Admiral) and were simple in character. There was prayer by the university chaplain, songs by the cadet corps, and an address by the Hon. Frank Plumley of Northfield. The Admiral is an alumnus of Norwich university and it is especially fitting that the university should do him honor. He entered the university in 1851 and remained until 1854 when he received an appointment for Annapolis, entering that institution in September, 1854. At the time that Dewey was a cadet at Norwich the institution was at Norwich, Vermont; and it is reported that young Dewey used to take a prominent part in the bridge fights between the cadets and the students of Dartmouth who were just across the river at Hanover.

At a meeting of the Political Science club at Norwich university a short time ago all present declared themselves in favor of universal military training. The men were somewhat divided as to the value of such training in high schools and the amount of credit for training at military schools and colleges; but the universal opinion was that universal military training was the only right kind of preparedness and must come sooner or later.

AT THE STAR THEATRE

Next Monday night. Episode No. 11 of the greatest serial, "The Broken Coin," featuring the two stars, Grace Cunard and Francis Ford. "The Trail of Chance," a Bison drama in two parts. "The Inspector's Double," a Joker comedy.

For Wednesday evening, Jan. 31, we have booked a strong mutual masterpiece, something you will like.

For Friday evening, Feb. 24, we have an assorted program, consisting of two two-reel features and one comedy. Be sure and see them.

GIRLS PLAY BASKETBALL

Two Local Teams—the Blues and the Whites—Play Basketball and Show What Enthusiasm, Practice and Perseverance Mean to the Game.

Two local teams of girls, the Blues and the Whites, played basketball last Friday night, the game resulting in a score of 18-13 in favor of the Blues. The girls played an interesting game and proved that they were not lacking in skill nor persistence in their work, and entered into the game with a true spirit of sports.

The line-up was as follows:

BLUES
Mable Osborne, c Doris Foster, c
Kathleen Foster, r f Olive Annis, r f
Geraldine Chesney, l f Vera Cota, l f
Thelma Dickson, r g Doris Foster, r g
Marian Currier, l g H't'se Mackay, l g
WHITES
Baskets: Olive Annis, 3; Vera Cota, 1; Kathleen Foster, 3; Geraldine Chesney, 2. Referee, Mr. Saunders. Timekeeper, Pauline Parlin; Scorer, Henry Curran.

VERMONT HIGHWAYS

State Highway Commissioner Bates Tells of Vermont Roads and the Work that is Being Done in His Report to the Legislature.

The ninth biennial report of State Highway Commissioner Stoddard Bates is an interesting pamphlet on Vermont's highways. Under the head of "General Effect of the Law in Operation," Commissioner Bates says:

"The law, in its entirety, seems to meet the conditions in Vermont as well and better than any other that has been proposed. It still maintains its popularity among the voters of the state, who appropriate the money in the several towns to take advantage of its provisions.

"We are each year connecting up links in the system of state roads, and now have several thro lines that are largely improved.

"Act No. 129 of the Acts of 1915 has enabled this department to correlate, to a large extent, its highway work with bridge work on state highways. Weak and narrow bridges are being replaced with approved forms of cement, or other construction, of a proper carrying capacity and width of roadway, and with a proper connection with the highways.

"The towns, thro their officials, are considering the road problem more and more, from the broad standpoint of the state.

"In the minds of many, the road problem is one of construction. In reality, the problem has shifted from one of construction to that of maintenance. The latter is not only the question of the hour, but also the most serious one from every standpoint. Consideration of our road law should be had with this fact actively in mind."

The commissioner recommends that consideration be given to the Federal Aid Road Act, and the present legislature will doubtless act on this matter. The report has several fine illustrations of highways, bridges and culverts, showing the good work that is being done throughout the state, a road map and is altogether a very valuable report.

SCHOOL NOTES

Lawrence Curran and Carl Withrow have returned to school.

The Camp Fire Girls will hold a ceremonial meeting Saturday evening.

Miss Smith and Miss Hooker spent the week end at their homes in Colebrook.

The domestic science students will give a dinner at the high school building Thursday, February 1, at 6:00 p. m.

The menu for school lunches next week will be as follows: Monday, mashed potatoes. Tuesday, cocoa. Wednesday, scalloped potatoes. Thursday, corn chowder. Friday, vegetable soup.

PROBATE NOTICE

Regular sessions of the Probate Court for the district of Essex will be held at Guidhall on the first Wednesday of each month, in the forenoon.

At Island Pond, the first Wednesday of January, April, July and October, in the afternoon.

At Lunenburg, the second Wednesday of January, April, July and October, in the forenoon.

At Concord in the afternoon of the same days.

Special sessions will be held by arrangement.

Communications should be sent to Edwin O. Carrl, Judge, Canaan, or to George A. Hubbard, Register, Guildhall.

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